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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Ashkenazi, et al.

Docket No.: 39780-1618P2C7

Serial No.:

09/904,485

Group Art Unit: 1647

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Examiner: Christine J. Saoud

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Box Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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TRANSMITTAL

- Transmitted herewith are the following documents for the above-referenced application:

- Transmittal;
 Amendment and Response to Office Action;
 Request for 3-month Extension of Time to File response; and
 Check No. 22584 in the amount of \$930.00 for 3-month Extension of Time.

STATUS

- Applicant is

- a small entity
 other than a small entity.

EXTENSION OF TIME

- Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 for the total number of months checked below:

Extension (months)	Fee for other than <u>small entity</u>	Fee for <u>small entity</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$ 410.00	\$205.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> three months	\$ 930.00	\$465.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$1,445.00	\$725.00

Fee \$930.00

- Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is hereby made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 CFR 1.8(a))

I hereby certify that this paper (along with any referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Box Fee Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C., 20231.

Date: March 13, 2003

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FEE FOR CLAIMS

- If an additional extension of time is required please consider this a petition therefor.
- An extension for _____ months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$_____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request \$_____

- The fee for claims (37 CFR 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

(Col. 1)	(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	SMALL ENTITY	<i>OR</i>	OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Addit. Rate	Fee	Rate	Addit. Fee
Total * Minus *0*	20	= 0	x9=	\$	x18=	\$
Indep. * Minus *0*	3	=	x40=	\$	x80=	\$
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM		+130=	\$		x260=	\$
			TOTAL ADDIT.FEE	\$	<i>OR</i>	TOTAL ADDIT. FEE

- No additional fee for claims required.
 Total additional fee for claims required \$_____.

FEE PAYMENT

- Attached is a check in the sum of \$930.00 for the 3-month Extension of Time to file request.
 Charge Account No. 08-1641 the sum of \$_____ for publication fee.

FEE DEFICIENCY

- In the event that: a) no check to cover the filing fee is enclosed, b) any above-referenced check is inadvertently omitted or lost, or c) any enclosed check is in an amount less than or greater than the required fee, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any required fees, additional fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 08-1641. A duplicate of this authorization is enclosed for that purpose.
- Attached is a postcard for date-stamped return as confirmation of receipt of these materials.

Date: March 13, 2003


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